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Recent Operations

By Paul Rardin

Today is Friday the 13th. I'm not going to take chances on saying that.

Ballard Donnell Named Vice Consul In Great Britain

Appointee of Ballard Roberts Donnell to the post of U. S. vice-consul in Great Britain was received here today by his father, E. D. Donnell.

Mr. Donnell is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Donnell, 2307 South Dixie Hwy., for ten days prior to leaving for the U. S. Embassy, London, where he will be based.

Connected with the visa division of the State Department for nearly three years, Mr. Donnell was previously practising law in Pahokee. He is a graduate of the Beach High School and of the University of Florida where he received his L.L. B. degree in 1937.

The new vice-consul was commissioned to the rank of captain in the U. S. Marine Corps the same year, has received an honorable discharge from service. He has travelled extensively in Europe, the U. S. and Canada. His father, E. D. Donnell, is a former circuit court judge, and now practices law here.—Palm Beach Post.

Mr. Donnell has permanent residence in Pahokee where he practised law. He is a brother of Mrs. Frank C. Hobson, former teacher in Pahokee schools.

Plan Offered To Split State

TALLAHASSEE, July 11.—The Florida Senate was expected to consider immediately a plan by Senator Strother of Tallahassee to add four new senatorial districts, three in the south and one in the north, while freezing boundaries for 10 years.

The Senate is expected to convene today following a session which provoked some of the bitterest personal debate of the extraordinary reappportionment situation.

Rep. Okell of Dade told members of the majority bloc yesterday that with the consent of the caucus he planned to introduce a bill authorizing the national congress to permit a 49th state in South Florida.

Okell withdrew his proposal after his colleagues bridled at "permisionism" and threatened to resign, but decided he would submit it and insist on its being brought to a vote if "something doesn't happen within 10 days."

The bill, which is intended with North Floridians insisting on reappportionment by adding new senatorial districts and South Floridians determined to reschedule seats within the present 33 districts, was introduced.

The 1947 speakership became an issue when Rep. Peter of Dade opposed his fellow delegate's proposal to make the state a political prison, but decided he would submit it and insist on its being brought to a vote if "something doesn't happen within 10 days."

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Sugar Company Establishes Four Purebred Herds

Sugar Shortage
Just Beginning,
Says U.S.S.C. Head

With establishment in Clewiston of four purebred breeding herds, one each of Shorthorn, Hereford, Aberdeen Angus and Brahman, by the United States Sugar Corporation, cattlemen for the first time can observe and study the development of the four most popular beef breeds under identical conditions.

The cattle are placed on a carefully arranged pasture subdivided into four equal parts, making possible observation of all four herds from one location.

"As far as we know this is the

first time in the United States that these four breeds have been brought together and are being controlled under one project.

Controlled conditions are equivalent to the four herds being brought to a common market," said the

Cuban Puerto Rican and American sugar production declined largely because of weather conditions, he added. He said the Hawaiian sugar crop had fared fairly well but the military situation cut down the supply available for shipment.

Women's Prison To Be Erected By State of Florida

TALLAHASSEE, July 11.—The Florida cabinet, had adopted a resolution to appropriate \$100,000 for construction of 270 separate units, apparently breaking the deadlock between Comptroller J. W. Moran and Lt. Governor E. L. Lee and Larson who wanted to get together the cabinet meeting here to get together on the newly adopted method of proceeding, which followed the lead of the Senate.

No further action on the transfer of funds was taken immediately.

Construction of a new women's prison and a state industrial school for delinquent negro girls near Manning also were authorized.

The three other phases planned were a state industrial herd; the grass fattening of feeder steers on improved pastures with supplemental feed molasses in troughs; and the packing and finishing of feeder steers in dry-lots on agricultural by-products of the company.

The cattle project covers approximately 5,000 acres of improved pasture, which is being planted to such grass as Tifton 35 and 99, carpet, St. Augustine, Bahia, Manila and common plate soil, none of which has been obtained yet on the entire pasture, but effected, the acreage will be capable of maintaining better than one head of cattle per acre until the year around, present experience indicates.

Crockett said some of the aims of the cattle project are to provide for the four purebred herds.

To demonstrate to Florida cattlemen that a good job can be done with any of the four leading beef breeds under improved local conditions.

2. To get some trace or indication of which of the four breeds are best adapted to Florida conditions, so the cattle have been provided with a scientific basis.

3. To play its part in the further development of the now great Florida cattle industry by making available registered seed stock of the popular breeds.

The cattle project, under separate authority, only the money allocated for the purpose of creating a non-elective regulatory agency or for the specific purpose of such agency.

4. To upgrade the feeding of Florida cattle, so that the quality of feeder steers will be available for the company's steer feeding program.

5. To demonstrate that, coincident with the cattle project, Florida can economically produce choice beef equal to the nation's best on Florida produce.

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MILK BOTTLES

It seems that contemplation of wonderful postwar things to come may divert us from our present necessary duties in St. Petersburg. In fact, the nation's dairymen and bottlers told us that it's already happening in the practical matter of milk bottles. And they're warning.

Maybe we've been reading too much about those post-V-J-Day square milk bottles—or the beer bottles the dealer won't want back. At any rate, the milk and bottle people estimate that Americans are holding cut some 25,000,000 bottles in kitchens and back storeroom counters.

That's bad, for several reasons. One thing, the War Food administration says that we the people are using 25 per cent more milk than before the war. That takes bottles. And this is the time of year for Bossie's big milk dividend. That takes bottles, too.

Besides, the life of the average milk bottle is only about 40 trips from dairy to customer. Fewer, if you happen to live around like water from a lawn-sprinkler. Local hopers were a week long to be remembered by local hopers; one winner was a department store clerk, another the smiling and helpful cashier of a grocery store.

Everybody had a good time, even the judges. The Post Office helped out with a special award for them, too. They learned that it was really more fun to work when you lacked your job with a smile instead of a sulk and try to please, rather than annoy customers.

Other publishers might do well to stage such a contest in their community. It is the best kind of advertising in the world for your newspaper and appeals to the merchants and tourists alike. Let's have more courtesy contests in Florida communities—Florida Newspaper News.

anything, for help was harder to get than customers.

Well, George and Jack decided to start something. They offered a \$25 bond as an award to the person chosen by a committee of GI's and their wives, as the most courteous and attentive clerk in Winter Haven. The offer was announced in the next issue of the Herald.

Local hopers were a week long and additional awards were offered. Another \$25 var bond was put up by the local theatre manager. A-store offered the choice of an handbag in stock. The contest got bigger and better.

No one knew who the judges were and every clerk in town snapped out of it. The customers hadn't seen anything like it. The Post Office helped out with a special award to serve them. Courtesy was sprayed around like water from a lawn-sprinkler. Local hopers were a week long to be remembered by local hopers; one winner was a department store clerk, another the smiling and helpful cashier of a grocery store.

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BOOM IN FARM LAND

A situation faces the American people that is more dangerous than any of the "black markets," and that is the rapid advance in prices of real estate, from town lands to the broadcast acreage of farm lands.

The whole question of a runaway boom in prices in city and farm land seems to be bound up in legislative controversy. A major question seems to be manpower on the farm and ability of the farmer to acquire plenty of farm machinery to cut down the cost of production and pay his taxes and help him.

Official figures show the price paid for an acre of United States farm land in 1939 was \$32.02 per acre, and that the average price today is \$47.46 per acre.—St. Augustine Record.

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but no. He must not think of home I dreamed about and wanted to come back to all those months. His father didn't seem to care. He was a kindly old man. He had insisted on taking his son to a luncheon of his service club, where they called on him for a talk. His father had been one of the fellows that Bill would tell them about his experiences. When Bill got up and said simply he didn't have any story to tell except that he was glad to be home, it just about broke old man's heart.

Mr. King, Bill said, doesn't want to hurt Mom and Dad, but they just don't understand and I'm getting so I dread going home. Last night I stayed downtown hanging around a bar with one of my old cronies. I just sat there. Most of us wanted to be there particularly, but it seemed we had

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He wants to get a job and go to work and forget as far as he can,

WANT ADS

FOR RENT: 1,500 acre farm land with pump, some new, some old land. C. A. Bailey, Phone 70, Belle Glade, Fla.

FOR SALE: Large comfortable 9 room house, with 2 bedrooms. 3 car garage. maid's room, on big corner lot. Close to fire (\$10,000). C. A. Bailey, Phone 70, at Belle Glade, Fla.

FOR SALE: Five acres muck close to farm land, good proposition for lots. Dan Carpenter, Phone 2571, Pahokee, Fla.

LAND TO LEASE: Several 30 acre tracts until May 15, 1946, rent free and accessible. Location Section 33 in East Unit Pahokee. No drainage or fertilizer. Little water needed and owner will furnish all apply bluestone without charge. If interested write immediately Box B, Azucar, Fla.

NOTICE: The City of Pahokee will receive sealed bids at 8 P.M. on Friday, June 29, 1945, for one used 1935 Ford truck which will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. The truck may be seen at the City Garage.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

W. P. Walker, City Clerk, City of Pahokee, Pahokee, Fla.

June 29, July 6, 1945 ch.

FOUND: Two stray cows, one black and one cream colored. They have been pastured at my house. L. C. Keen, Pahokee, Fla.

FOR SALE: Victory bicycle in good condition. Pair of new Toledo scales. Mrs. E. L. Keen, Canal Point, Fla.

NOTICE: Public Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has registered with the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Palm Beach County, State of Florida, under Section 86.90 Statutes of State of Florida, as a Notary Public.

EVERGLADES PRODUCE CO. is engaged in business in South Florida.

Address: South Canal Point, Fla.
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CLOSED
MONDAY, JULY 16

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MONDAY, JULY 30

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Belle Glade, Fla.

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Doin' Any Fishing?

. . . . We've Got The Tackle

Maybe our supply of tackle isn't as complete as it was a few years back—but, we still have enough of the necessary equipment to make your fishing trip worth while.

Drop in the next time you feel that urge to go fishin'. We'll probably be able to get you started off on the right foot.

Betzner Hardware

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To save engine wear, he has Sinclair Opaline Motor Oil. Opaline stands up better and lasts longer because it is not only de-waxed but also de-jellied. Play safe, have your Sinclair Dealer drain and refill your crankcase with Opaline every 1,000 miles.

OIL IS AMMUNITION - USE IT WISELY

SINCLAIR OPALINE MOTOR OIL
A. E. Kirchman, Agent
Belle Glade, Florida

CLOSED
Sunday, July 15

OPEN
Saturday, Aug 4

Dan's Restaurant

Pahokee, Florida

CLOSED

JULY 23

Until

AUGUST 6

CHANDLER'S
PAHOKEE, FLORIDA

**Statement of Condition of
BANK OF PAHOKEE
At Close of Business
June 30, 1945**

Resources

Loans & Discounts	\$ 930,964.68
Banking House Furniture & Fixtures	4,000.00
United States Bonds	\$1,122,550.00
State, County and Municipal Bonds	91,175.00
Stocks	5,000.00
Cash on Hand and due from Banks	\$2,335,880.76
TOTAL	\$4,489,570.44

Liabilities

Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits and Reserve	49,958.78
Deposits	\$4,289,611.66
TOTAL	\$4,489,570.44

We owe our depositors a debt of gratitude as they have made our success and the above statement possible. We appreciate the loyalty of our customers and friends and our ambition for the future is to give you better service than ever before.

We believe that the greatest piece of legislation ever enacted from the standpoint of the Banking business was the measure creating the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation. It provides among other things protection for depositors both large and small. We are of course an insured Bank and

each account is insured up to Five Thousand Dollars. In addition to this protection we keep the major portion of your funds as cash on hand and due from Banks and investments in highly liquid United States Government Bonds.

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